Sec. 412. The Burgess and Commissioners shall have power from time to time to make such by-laws and ordinances as they laws and enacting ordinances. shall deem necessary, and they may affix thereto such reasonable fines and costs as they may deem fit not to exceed twenty dollars in any one case, and to do all things they may deem expedient for the comfort, health, convenience and general prosperity of the town as well as make regulations for the security of property and good government of the said municipality; and to this end they shall have power to institute and maintain a fire department subject to the provisions hereinafter set forth, to prevent, remove and abate all nuisances in or upon the streets, highways, lanes, alleys, drains, ditches Abating and water courses in or upon any lot or lots adjacent thereto, nuisances. and to provide for imposing a fine or fines upon persons causing or allowing such nuisances; to remove or cause to be removed or rendered safe at the expense of the owner any rickety chimney or other structures that may be regarded as dangerous to persons or live stock passing the same; to prevent live stock of any kind from running at large within the corporate limits of the town and to provide special penalties for such offenses; to lay a special tax or license on dogs, livery stables, delivery wagons, and the standing of stallions and Live stock jacks within the corporate limits; to establish and maintain a large, lockup for the temporary confinement of violators of the laws and ordinances of the town, subject to the provisions hereinafter set forth; to prohibit and restrict the keeping of bawdy houses and houses of ill fame within the corporate limits, and to provide for the punishment of all who shall keep, authorize or suffer to be kept, or who shall knowingly rent for such purposes any house or houses; to regulate and provide for the issuing of licenses or permits for all hawkers and peddlers and transient venders of wares and merchandise of every descrip- Forbidding tion (except by sample) within the corporate limits, except certain nulall such articles of food and provisions in the hands of the corporate producer or wares and merchandise in the hands of the maker or manufacturers; for the issuing of licenses to all persons traveling about dispensing medicines or giving medical advice (not inconsistent with the laws of health of the State and the laws regulating the practice of medicine in this State), and to have the power to provide for and demand a license from all itinerant players or showmen exhibiting within the corporate limits of the town, with the provisions that they shall not accept tickets to the said shows or exhibitions as payment or part payment for said license; the power to regulate, restrain Pertaining to theatricals. or prohibit any theatrical or other performance or exhibition